CHAOS REIGNS ABOARD: CRIES OF DESPAIR AND RAGE

A human avalanche swept into the river. Then chaos reigned aboard the boat. With awful cries hundreds went down to death. The cries were of despair and rage. Mothers fought like furies to save their babes, husbands fought for wives. The trembling crowd stood with eyes glued

boat upon the brink of death. were huddled on the hurricane deck. Nearly every one and, aboard was a raving lunatic. In front of them was a wall of fire. Behind a trail of drowning relatives and friends in the river. Be-

MOTHERS WERE FRENZIED SEEING CHILDREN DROWNED

Frenzied mothers, looking into the river below, saw their children drowning beneath their eyes. Many threw themselves into

While men stood helpless, women prayed and all eyes turned hopefully to the fast approaching shore, death in its most horrible form-death by fire came upon

Eaten out by the raging flames beneath, the hurricane deck gave way. An awful cry and a rush of hundreds and then everything was enveloped in a fiery cloud as the deck went down into the

beached on North Brother Island and the remnant of the happy party, which, but an hour before had started out for a day's pleasure, went ashore. The great boat burned until only a tangled mass

DETAILS OF DISASTER.

resulting in the death through burning of at least six hundred persons, mostly women and children. Four hundred and ninety-eightiguodies, had been recovered to-night, ends divers were at work taking bodies from the hold of the steamer. The remains of many persons who leaped into the river have not yet been found, and it will be many hours before the list of dead is anywhere near

has commanded the General Slocum for almost the entire time since she was built, in 1891. The number of excursion-ists on beard to-day is variously estimated at from 1,500 to 2,500, but according to an official statement issued by the Knicker-bocker Steamboat Campany, owners of the Slocum, the number of passengers was \$72, that being one-third the vessel's licensed canacity.

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The steamer, after leaving her dock this morning, proceeded up the East River, all three of her decks being crowded with merry-makers. Bands played and the great side-wheeler was decorated with flags from stem to stem.

Fire Breaks Out.

The Slocum had reached a point near the Sunken Meadows, off One Hundred and Thirty-fifth Street, Manhattan, which is at the extreme eastern end of Randall's Island, when fire broke out in a lunch room on the forward deck. The blaze was caused by the overturning of a pot of grease. The headway of the vessel and high wind almost instantly famed the insignificant flame into fury. Efforts were at once directed to subduling the fire, but they were futile. The blaze

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MEN & BOYS' OUTFITTERS

tain Van Schaik, in the pilot house, had been informed of the outbreak of the fire, and, realizing the danger to the hundreds of excursionists, decided to send his vessel to shore at One Hundred and Thirty-fourth Street. At this point there are a number of lumber yards and several huge oil tanks, and the captain was warned that to attempt to land at this point would endanger the property and perhaps further imperii the scores of people, who had already been frightened into a state of almost uncontrollable ex-

slightly, he headed her for North Brother

island, half a wile away.

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The great open decks, built for excursionists, with little obstruction from bow to stern, offered a clear sweep for the fire. As the Slocum dashed forward the flames caught stanchion and cabin wood work, exting and tearing their way across the vessel.

excursionists, but a few moments

Crafts Come to Rescue.

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The steamer's whistle was blowing for assistance and tags and other nearby craft answered to the call. Before any of the beats could reach the burning ateamer, however, the frantic women and children began to jump overboard. The current was strong and there are many whiripools in the channel. The boats that always abound in the vicinity pieced many persons from the water, but these were only a small number of those that were seen struggling in the swift current. On the Slocum the first sweep of the flames cut off escape from the hurricine deck, where a great many of the women and children were crowded together, and soen burned away the light wood of the uprights, which came down with a crash on those below. It is thought that most of those on the hurricane deck were burned.

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As the fire increased the struggle to gain a point of vantage at the stern became frightful. Women and children crowded against the after deck until it gave way, and hundreds were pushed off into the river. After this there was a steady stream of persons who jumped or were thrown into the water.

By this time the shieking whistle of the Slocum had attracted the attention of the river craft for a considerable distance around, and tugs and other small boats were rushing to the assistance of the burning steamer.

These small boats rescued all those in the water whom they could reach, but many persons struggled and sank before any help could reach them. In the water of the slocum, as she hurried up stream, was a line of little black spots, marking the heads and bodies of those who had sought to escape the roaring furnace on the ship by throwing themselves overboard.

Few of those saved by the small boats had on life preservers. At no time dur-

It was an experience harrowing and ter-rible, and that any escaped alive scums wonderful.

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Through all the wild panie, with fire and smoke surrounding them, the officers and men of the doemed boat remained at their posts, but they were powerless to avert the outastropie.

The Slockin got within fifty feet of the northwest point of North Brother Island and there stopped in the shallow water. It was just before she beached that the hurricans deck, the supports of which had burned away, fell, with its load of women and children, adding to the panie and horrer of these on the deck below. Very soon after parts of the second and third decks also caved in. But before this happened the tug Walter Tracey had come alongside the burning steamer and been lashed to it. Many of the passengers were taken off by the crew of the Tracey, which remained alongside the steamer until the tug pilot house took fire.

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The point where the Slocum beached was just off the scarlet fever ward of the North Brother Island Hospital. The patients, who had been out on the porches and lawns, watching the approach of the hurning steamer, were ordered indoors and the physicians on the island hastened to the assistance of those who were being brought ashore through the shallow water. Many of those who leaped from the Slocum were carried away by the current even after she was beached, and were drowned.

Scene Was Pittful One.

Burned to Water's Edge.

Meanwhile the Slocum burned to the water's edge. At 12125 o'clock, two hours and twenty-dve minutes after the free was first discovered, she sank. It is estimated that there were then nearly 100 churred bodies on her decks. Just after the steamer sank the water near by was black with bodies. The tug Fidelity succeeded in picking up sighty-eight charred coppes in Hunt's Cove, off Rake's island, and carried thom into the Sound. None of these bodies, it is thought, can ever be identified. Heads, legs and arms are burned off and not a shred of clothing is left on any of them.

To-night a surging crowd is held back by the police lines formed about the city morgue at the foot of East Twenty-sixth Street. The crowd began to gather as soon as it became rumored about the city that the dead would be brought to danhattan from the North Brother island and other places where at first the lead and been taken. When the Massa-

and and other places where at first the dead had been taken. When the Massasoit came to dock with 55 dead, the work of removing the bodies from the steamer proceeded slowly until no more room was found inside the morgue, and the autopsy room was cleared and the blackened and distorted bodies were placed on the floor there.

Scene at Morgue Harrowing.

When finally the morgue authorities allowed the crowd to enter the morgue, a scene ensued which was harrowing in the extreme. In some cases, first identifications were found to have been erromens, men lying caim to bodies they arterwards discovered were not those of their relatives.

At the entrance of the charities pier at the foot of East Twenty-sixth Street, the crowd to-night tried to push back the police and a riot resulted. At the height of the troube a man who had learned that his wife was among the charred dead tried to stab himself.

Isside the pier the bodies are arranged in three rows, the entire longth of the pier, about 16 feet.

St. Mark's Lutheran Church contained in the membership, practically all these

of Mrs. Anna Haas, the wife of the pastor of the church.

The coroners gave permission for the
body to be removed to the residence of
Dr. Haas.

Dr. Haas is among the rescued. He and
his wife and daugater got outside the
rail of the Slocuin just before the steamebeached. He cannot say whether they
jumped or fell or were pushed into the
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Miss Clara Stuer, a survivor, after reaching the home of friends on East Soventh Street, said; "I was sitting on the upper-deck with some friends ween a little girl near no-

plumped or fell or were pushed into the water. He sank, and when he rose he found scores about him dighting for life. He falled to find his wife and daughter. With great effort to keep affoat, he was about to give up in despair when a man on one of the tugs picked him up. Of the scores he saw about him when he rose one by one-sank. It is not yet known whether his daughter is among the living or the dead.

Assistant District Attorney Garvin was at the scene of the wreek for some hours, he said that he would suppoen the entire crew and as many of the survivors as possible, and would make every effort to fix the responsibility for the catastrophe.

President Roosevelt Sends Condolers.

By Associated Press.

NEW YORK, June 15.—The following telegraphic message from President Roosevelt has been received by Pastor Haas:

"Accept my profound sympathy for yourseit, your church and your congregation."

THE DEAD.

List of Those Bodies Which

Have Been Identified.

(By Associated Press.)

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Catholic Priest One of First to the Rescue.

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NEW YORK, June 15.—One of the first to go to the work of reacts was flav. Father Donlon, of St. Jerome's Roman Catholic Church. On hearing the news of the disaster, Pather Donlon gathered other pricats and started for the water front. Although they know it was a Lutheran picnic, the pricats fold that it was their duty to give religious fold that it was their duty to give religious consolation to all whom they encountered. Father Donlen gave religious consolation to forty-five persons, forty-three of whom died.

Pastor's Family Perished.
One of the tragic incidents of the day was the death of the family of Dr. Haas. His wife, Gertrude, and his daughter, Anna, are among the dead.

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with your board, in order that I may determine intelligently where my duty lies, EDWIN A. ALDERMAN.

Baton Rouge, Lat., June 14th.
Dr. J. M. Page, University of Virginia:
I acknowledge, with gratitude, the encouraging action of the faculty of the University. I will hope to consult with them at an early date.

EDWIN A. ALDERMAN.

SOME DOUBT.
The above replies, regarded as an acceptance of the presidency, came to hund early this morning, and as soon as they were made public there was a general feeling of relief and congratulation. Some doubt existed in the minds of many for fear that sufficient pressure would be brought upon Dr. Alderman by his admirers in New Orleans to cause him to decline the headship of the Virginia institution. The rector and board ginia institution. The rector and board of administrators announced months ago that they were not going to give him

the rector was instructed to take such steps, by the appointment of a commit-tee, or otherwise, looking to a conference with Er. Alderman, as he may deem

with Er. Alderman, as he may deem proper.

The question as to the time when the president will enter upon the duties of the office and all other details were postponed for consideration at a meeting to be held at the call of the rector, after he has been advised of Dr. Alderman's wishes in the matter.

A resolution was adopted retaining Dr. James M. Page as chairman until the installation of the president.

BOARD ACTIONS.

After the election of a president yesterday afternoon, several members of the board of visitors took the train for home, leaving a bare quorum to transact busi-

board of visitors took the train to above, leaving a bare quorum to transact business. X night session was held, and many matters of importance were considered. Dr. William A. Lambeth was made associate professor in the schools of associate professor in the schools of hygiene and materia medica, and continued as director of the Fayerweather gymnasium. His promotion entitles him to become a member of the faculty. The report of the Miller trustees was approved, recommending the appointment of William A. Kepner as instructor...in

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biology, and the selection of Frank T.

Lewis for the agricultural scholarship
from the Miller School, and Frankin P.

Pyles, of Sao Paulo, Brazil, for the
Miller School scholarship, on competi-

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The board approved of the movement inaugurated by the Washington Alumni Association for securing an endowment fund of one million dollars for the University of Virginia, to be known as the Jefferson Fund of the University of Vir-

NEW APPOINTMENTS,
Mr. John Beverly Pollard, of Ayletts,
Va., was made demonstrator of anatomy

or the ensuing session.

Robert Henning Webb, of Suffolk, Va., was appointed instructor in Latin; J. T. Walker, of Bedford City, Va., tutor in Latin, and James S. McLemore, of Memphis, Tenn., fellow in Latin.

W. F. Fruin, of Brooklyn, N. Y., was appointed mechanician for the school of appointed mechanician for the school of

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Dr. J. M. Page, chairman of the fac-ulty, was appointed to represent the Uni-versity at the meeting of the Association of State Universities in St. Louis on June 28th, Such of the members of the part in the international Congress of Science and Art in St. Louis, September 19-28, were granted leaves of absence. Dr. J. Carroll Flippen, of Danville, Va. was elected adjunct professor of bacteriology.

The sum of \$200 was appropriated for the appointment by Dr. Kent of an as-sistant in the department of English lit-

SCHOLARSHIPS.

The Valentine Birely scholarship was awarded Jesse Wright Downey, Jr., of New Market, Md.

The John Y. Mason Fellowship was awarded John W. Wayland, of Bridge-

water, Va.

Thomas McN. Simpson, Jr., of Danville,
Va.; G. Frederic Paddock, of Providence,
R. I., and Frank Walker Reed, of Wytheville, Va., were appointed Fellows in
astronomy.

Dr. C. S. Venable and Dr. W. D. Macon
were appointed chinical instructors.

Dr. C. S. Venable and Dr. W. D. Macon were appointed clinical instructors. Messrs. Daniel Harmon, Charles P. Jones, Carter Glass, R. Walton Moore and Eppa Runton, Jr., were elected to compose the executive committee of the board for the ensuing year.

For excellence in composition in the University Mugazine, several prizes are given annually. A medal is awarded for the best essay, and also one for the best essay, and also one for the best essay, and also one for the best story contributed to the Magazine by either the Washington or Jefferson

Washington or Jefferson by Ather the Washington or Jofferson Literary Society. Also a prize is offered by the department of English literature for the best original poem published in the Magazine.

PRIZE WINNERS.

The winners of the prizes were:
Bost essay—"Gray's Relation to His
Fine," by John S. Flory, of Bridgewato His

ter, Va.

Best story—"The Syndicate of Crime,"
by William McCulley James, of Balti-

by William McCulley James, of Baltimore, Md.

Hest original poem—"An Autumn Tragedy," by John W. Wayland, of Bridgowater, Va.

Second best original poem—"Could You Have Saved Me, Dear?" by Harvey R.

Denton, of New York.

Walter E. Addison, Judge John Randolpt. Tucker and Judge William Gordon Robertson, of Roanoke, Va., acted as the Committee of Award.

The Bryan prize, for the best essay on Theory of Government, was awarded Mr, John W. Wayland, of Bridgewater, Va. Subject: "Shall the Government Own Our Railroads?"

CLOSING EXERCISES.

To-day marked the closing of the cightleth session of the University of Virginia.

The public exercises of the Cay began

DERMAN MAKES REPLY ued on Second Page.) ard, in order that I may delegably where my duty 19es. Red, in order that I may delegably where my duty 19es. Red, in order that I may delegably where my duty 19es.

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lean History and Development and will prove a welcome addition to the library.

At 8 o'clock to-night, in the public hall, occurred the closing exercises of the session, including the award of diplomas and degrees. From 10 to 12, a recoption was tendered the graduates in the rotunda.

T. I. L. K. A. REUNION.

T. J. L. K. A. REUNION.

To-day the T. I. L. K. A. ribben society celebrated its fittleth anniversary. The reunion was attended by fifty odd of the one hundred and seventy-three members of the society and the occasion proved a delightful one. The climax of the celebration was the banquet held to-night. This was furnished by Rauscher, of Washington covers being ladd for seventy-five, Mr. Murray M. McGuire, of Richmond, acted as toastmaster and the following responded to toasts: "Tilka," Paul Petit, of Palmyrn; "The initiates," Armistead M. Dobie, of Norfolk; "L'avenir," J. Stewart Bryan. of Richmond; "Kallko," J. Markham Marshall, of Baltimore; "Alumni," Robert B. Williams, of Richmond. Among the visiting Tilkas were Prof. Oscar Lovett, of Princeton, and Hunt Chipley, of Atlanta, Ga.

Fight at the Station.

Considerable excitement was caused in the Southern depot about il o'clock last night by a lively fistion! between two white men. Charles Hutzler and Charles Eacho, both of whom were arrested. The mon were admitted to talk hand they will appear in the Police Constitution of the control of th aind cause of the fracas could not be ascer-ined. The men were returning to the city after an excursion trip. The presence of a squad of soldiers in the depot caused the report of a riot, and a little excitement pre-valled for a while.

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MORGAN TREAT, U. S. Marshal,

THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIR-

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Whereas, on the 31st day of May, 1904.

J. T. VAUGHAN & CO. filed their libel in the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Virginia against the a Drill No. 1, &c., her boats, tackle, apparel and furniture, in a cause of contract, civil and maritime:

And whereas, by virue of process in due form of law, to me directed, returnable on the 7th day of June, 1904. I have seized and taken the said a Drill Boat No. 1, &c., and have her in my custody. Notice is hereby given, that a District Court will be held in the United States Court Room, in the city of Richmond. Va., on the 17th DAY OF JUNE, 1904, for the trial of said premises, and the owner or owners, and all persons who may have or claim any interest, are hereby cited to be and appear at the time and place aforesaid, to show cause, if any they have, why a final decree should not pass as prayed.

MORGAN TRICAT.

June 3-td

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as prayed. MORGAN TREAT,
June 8-td U. S. Marshal. VIRGINIA-IN THE CHANCERY COURT OF THE CITY OF RICH-MOND, THE SIST DAY OF MAY, 1804. Ballie Ann Blackwell and others, Plaintins,

Saille Ann Blackwell and others, Plaintins,
David Booker, Henry Page and Henry
Page, Trustee.

Defendants,
Defendants,
The object of this suit is to have partition made of a lot of land with improvements, No. 91, thereon, Fronting is
1-2 feet on the west side of St. Stephens
Street, between Baker an Charity Streets,
and extending back within parallel lines
129 feet; side lot sanding on the land
books of the city of Rehmond in the
name of Henry Page, Trustee for Lella
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And affidavit having been made and
fied that the defendants, David Hooker,
he ry Page and Henry Page, Trustee,
are nonfresidents of the State of Virginia,
it is ordered that they do appear here
within fineen days after the due publication of this order and do whatever is
necessary to protect their interests herein.
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spots like dancing corks. Every speck meant a drowning woman or child. Then echoes to the cries of horror aboard the boat went up from those on shore. A flotilla of crafts put out from either bank to the work of rescue.

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seething furnace beneath. At last the horror ship was

of iron showed above the water.

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excursion steamers in these waters, left Third Street, East River, at 9:30 o'clock this morning, having on beard the annual Sunday school excursion of St. Mark's German Lutheren Church, located in Sixth Street. Her destination was Locust Grove, one of the many resorts on Long Island Sound The excursion was in charge of Rev. George C. F. Hass, pastor of the church. The vessel was commanded by Captain William Van Scholk, one of the best known excursion boat captains in New York harbor. He has commanded the General Slocum for almost the entire time since she was

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